

**BEFORE THE BOARD OF DENTAL EXAMINERS
OF THE STATE OF IOWA**

IN THE MATTER OF:)	
W. PATRIC REILLY, D.D.S.)	
4219 Ingersoll Avenue)	
Des Moines, IA 50312)	NOTICE OF HEARING
License #4240)	
Respondent)	

You are hereby notified that on January 24, 2003, the Board found probable cause to file a Statement of Charges against you. If any of the allegations against you are founded, the Board has authority to take disciplinary action against you under Iowa Code chapters 17A, 147, 153, and 272C (2001), and 650 Iowa Administrative Code Chapter 51. A copy of the Statement of Charges is attached, and sets forth the particular statutes and rules which you are alleged to have violated, and further provides a short and plain statement of the matters asserted.

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that a disciplinary contested case hearing be held upon the Statement of Charges on April 16, 2003, before the full Board or a panel of the Board. The hearing shall begin at 2:00 p.m. and shall be located in the Conference Room, Iowa Board of Dental Examiners at 400 SW 8th Street, Ste D, Des Moines, Iowa. The Board shall serve as presiding officer, but the Board may request an Administrative Law Judge

make initial rulings on prehearing matters, and be present to assist and advise the Board at hearing.

Within twenty (20) days of the date you are served with the Statement of Charges and Notice of Hearing, you are required by 650 Iowa Administrative Code 51.12(2) to file an Answer to the Charges. In that Answer, you should also state whether you will require an adjustment of the date and time of the hearing.

At hearing, you may appear personally or be represented by counsel at your own expense. You will be allowed the opportunity to respond to the Charges against you. The procedural rules governing the conduct of the hearing are found at 650 Iowa Administrative Code Chapter 51.

The office of the Attorney General is responsible for representing the public interest (the State) in this proceeding. Pleadings shall be filed with the Board and copies should be provided to counsel for the State at the following address:

Theresa O'Connell Weeg
Assistant Attorney General
Iowa Attorney General's Office
2nd Floor, Hoover State Office Building
Des Moines, IA 50319
Phone (515) 281-6858

If you fail to appear at the hearing, the Board may enter a default decision or proceed with the hearing and render a decision in your absence, in accordance with Iowa Code section 17A.12(3) and 650 Iowa Administrative Code 51.22.

This matter may be resolved by settlement agreement. The procedural rules governing the Board's settlement process are found at 650 Iowa Administrative Code

51.19. If you are interested in pursuing settlement of this matter, please contact Constance L. Price, Executive Director, at 515-281-5157.

Dated this 24th day of January, 2003.



LEROI I STROHMAN, D.D.S.

Chairperson

Iowa Board of Dental Examiners

400 SW 8th Street, Ste. D

Des Moines, IA 50309

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STATEMENT OF CHARGES

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- 1) The Board has jurisdiction in this matter pursuant to Iowa Code Chapters 153 and 272C (2001).
- 2) On December 5, 1947, W. Patric Reilly, D.D.S., the Respondent, was issued license number 4240 by the Board to engage in the practice of dentistry, subject to the laws of the State of Iowa and the rules of the Board.
- 3) License number 4240 is current and on active status until June 30, 2004.

COUNT I

The Respondent is charged with failure to maintain a reasonably satisfactory standard of competency in the practice of dentistry, in violation of Iowa Code Section 153.34 (9) (2001) and 650 Iowa Administrative Code Section 30.4(16).

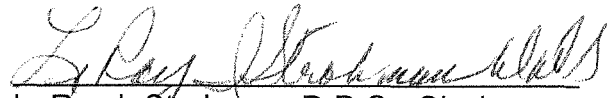
COUNT II

Respondent is charged under Iowa Code Section 153.34(4) (2001) with willful or repeated violations of the rules of the Board by failing to maintain records in a manner consistent with the protection of the welfare of the patient, in violation of 650 Iowa Administrative Code Section 27.11.

THE CIRCUMSTANCES

1. A Board consultant reviewed ten (10) patient records subpoenaed from Respondent's dental office and concluded that Respondent's record keeping practices in all cases was below the standard of care:
 - a. Patient health history information and health history updates were not included in the patient records.
 - b. Periodontal probings were not included in the patient records.
 - c. Documentation of the patient's oral hygiene were not included in the patient records.
 - d. In most cases, adequate radiographs were not included in the patient records.
 - e. The patient record lacked complete information regarding treatment rendered.
 - f. Prescriptions written in the records were incomplete.
 - g. Treatment plans were not included in the patient records.
2. The consultant concluded that Respondent's charts were in such disarray that competency could not be determined in respect to nine of the ten records reviewed.
3. The consultant concluded that treatment provided to patient P.R. was below the standard of care in that many of the fixed bridges that Respondent placed had to be redone due to the poor quality of the work.
4. The consultant concluded that the failure to perform periodontal probings is a violation of the standard of care.

On this day 24th of January, 2003, the Iowa Board of Dental
Examiners found probable cause to file this Statement of Charges and to order a hearing in
this case.


LeRoy I. Strohman, D.D.S., Chairman
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